THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Emanuel I. Cooper, et al.

Examiner:

J.P. Sheehan

Serial No.:

09/634,171

Art Unit:

1742

Filed:

August 9, 2000

Docket: ARC920000067US1 (13521)

For:

CoFe ALLOY FILM

Dated:

December 2, 2004

Confirmation No.: 5758

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 13450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

As an Amendment and Response, filed concurrently with the filing of a Request for Continued Examination application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on December 3, 2004.

Dated: December 2, 2004

Leske S. Szivos, Ph.D.

12/17/2004 KJONES4 00000003 090441 09634171